

## R E M A R K S

Upon entry of this Response: claims 1-2 and 13-14 will be amended; claims 5-12 and 17-20 will be canceled; and claim 21 will be newly added. Thus, claims 1-4, 13-16, and 21 will be pending. Reconsideration and further examination are respectfully requested in view of the following Remarks.

According to the Final Office Action, the prior pending claims are rejected under 35 USC 112, first paragraph, as including subject matter that was not described in the specification as filed. Applicants respectfully direct the Examiner to the description in the originally filed specification, for example, at page 9, lines 3 to 8 where it states “the subsequent set of buttons (such as the “Sports” buttons) may replace the initial set of buttons (such as the “Financial” buttons).” See also, for example, page 10, lines 9 to 19. Reconsideration and withdrawal of the 35 USC 112, first paragraph, rejection is respectfully requested.

In addition, support for the previously pending claims, as well as the claims now presented can be found, for example, by considering FIG. 3 which shows how a subsequent set of toolbar buttons 330 can replace an initial set of toolbar buttons 322 in a searchbar 320. Support for newly added claim 21 can be found, for example, in FIGS. 6 and 7 and the accompanying description in the as-filed application (e.g., describing the “Next Result” button 724 in the searchbar 720).

The previously pending claims stand rejected under 35 USC 102 as being anticipated by US Publication No. 2004/0100504 (“Sommer”). Reconsideration of these rejections is respectfully requested.

As amended, claim 1 now recites “initially displaying to a user in a web browser search bar: (i) an initial set of toolbar buttons and (ii) a search feature user input portion usable to enter a search term to be transmitted to a remote search engine via a communication network, wherein the initial set of tool bar buttons is displayed to the user without displaying to the user a subsequent set of toolbar buttons in the searchbar.” In addition, a single indication is received from the user via the searchbar, and the initial set of toolbar buttons is replaced “with the

subsequent set of toolbar buttons in the searchbar ... such that (i) the initial and subsequent sets of toolbar buttons are never simultaneously displayed to the user in the searchbar and (ii) the search feature user input portion remains displayed to the user.”

Applicants respectfully suggest that neither Sommer nor any other reference discloses or suggests such features. The remaining claims depend from claim 1, or recite similar limitations, and should therefore be allowable for at least the same reasons.

## CONCLUSION

Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request allowance of the pending claims. If any issues remain, or if the Examiner has any further suggestions for expediting allowance of the present application, the Examiner is kindly invited to contact the undersigned via telephone at (203) 972-0191.

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